BEST AVAILABLE COPY

LAW OFFICES
ANTONELLI, TERRY, STOUT & KRAUS, LLP

SUITE 1800 1300 NORTH SEVENTEENTH STREET ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA 22209 RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JAN 0 4 2006

TELEPHONE (703) 312-6600 FACSIMILE (703) 312-6666 email@antonelli.com

VIA FACSIMILE - 14 PAGES (Including This Cover)

Commissioner for Patents

MAIL STOP: Amendment

POB 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

TRANSMITTED TO USPTO MAIN FACSIMILE NO. 571-273-8300

RE: KAGEYAMA, et al. - US Appl'n No. 09/932,113 Att'y Docket No. 500.40528X00 / E6151-01EK

Examiner L. Shapiro - Group 2677 Conf. No.: 4240

SUBMISSION OF AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicant hereby submits the attached AMENDMENT (11 pages) and PTO-1449 Forms (2 pages) for entry in the above-noted application.

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION:

I hereby certify that the attached AMENDMENT (11 pages) and PTO-1449

Forms (2 pages) are being FORMALLY TRANSMITTED via the USPTO Main

Facsimile No. 571-273-8300 on <u>January 4, 2006</u>.

Paul J. Skwierawski

CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE: The documents accompanying this facsimile transmission contain confidential information belonging to the sender which is legally privileged. This information is intended only for the use of the individual(s) or entity(ies) named above. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any disclosure, copying, distribution or the taking of any action in reliance on the contents of this facsimile information is strictly prohibited. If you have received this facsimile in error, please immediately notify us by telephone to arrange for return of the original document to us.